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AMENDMENT WITH RCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 24, 2009, a petition for a three-month extension of time for response is hereby made, together with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Please charge Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-2041 for the extension of time fee and the RCE. Further, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are indicated by the notation "currently amended" in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.